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**BOX PATENT APPLICATION**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Re: Application of Satoshi ARAKAWA and Naoto IWAKIRI  
RADIATION IMAGE STORAGE PANEL AND CASSETTE  
Our Ref. Q61195

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above including 53 sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, and eight (8) sheets of drawings. The requisite U.S. Government Filing fee, executed Declaration and Power of Attorney and Assignment will be submitted at a later date. Also enclosed is the Information Disclosure Statement.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

|                              |    |   |    |   |   |   |         |   |                  |
|------------------------------|----|---|----|---|---|---|---------|---|------------------|
| Total claims                 | 15 | - | 20 | = |   | x | \$18.00 | = | \$0.00           |
| Independent claims           | 5  | - | 3  | = | 2 | x | \$80.00 | = | \$160.00         |
| Base Fee                     |    |   |    |   |   |   |         |   | \$710.00         |
| Multiple Dependent Claim Fee |    |   |    |   |   |   |         |   | \$270.00         |
| <b>TOTAL FEE</b>             |    |   |    |   |   |   |         |   | <b>\$1140.00</b> |

Priority is claimed from March 13, 2000 based on Japanese Application No. 068062/2000. The priority document is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,  
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